

**Public Notice of Receipt of Permit Renewal Application  
Hazardous Waste Facility Permit  
Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory  
1 Cyclotron Road  
Berkeley, California  
EPA ID No. CA4890008986**

The California Environmental Protection Agency, Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has prepared this public notice to inform the public that Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (LBNL) located at 1 Cyclotron Road, Berkeley, California has submitted a permit renewal application to DTSC. This application is to renew its hazardous waste facility permit which would allow LBNL to continue to operate its hazardous waste treatment and storage facility. The permit issued by DTSC to LBNL on May 4, 1993 expires on May 3, 2003. The renewal of the hazardous waste treatment and storage permit is required by the California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Section 66270.10, subdivision (b). The permit renewal application is dated November 1, 2002.

LBNL is a multidisciplinary research facility owned by the United States Department of Energy and operated by the Regents of the University of California. LBNL is located on land owned by the University of California and leased to the Department of Energy. Wastes are generated by various LBNL research and support operations and shipped to the Hazardous Waste Handling Facility for proper treatment, packaging, and storage prior to shipment to appropriate off-site treatment and disposal facilities. The treatment methods authorized under LBNL's permit include consolidation, neutralization, solidification, desensitization, filtration, phase separation, ultraviolet/ozone/peroxide oxidation, reduction of oxidizers, absorption, adsorption, ion exchange, metallic replacement, air stripping and distillation of volatiles from dilute aqueous solutions, rinsing of empty containers, and mixing of multi-component resins.

The permit renewal application does not propose to change the currently authorized (permitted) storage and treatment capacities or the approved treatment methods. LBNL's contact person is Roshan Shadlou at 510/486-6654. DTSC has begun the review of the permit renewal application to ensure that the operations continue to meet technical and regulatory requirements and is protective of human health and the environment. The public will be noticed again when DTSC releases the draft permit and solicits public comments.

If you have questions related to the project or if you wish to be added to the facility's mailing list, call or write Waqar Ahmad, Project Officer, DTSC, 700 Heinz Avenue, Berkeley, California 94710 at 510/540-3932. You may also contact Jesus Cruz, Public Participation Coordinator at 510/540-3933 or e-mail [jcruz@dtsc.ca.gov](mailto:jcruz@dtsc.ca.gov). For media questions contact Angela Blanchette at 510/540-3732. A copy of the permit renewal application and supporting documents can be reviewed at DTSC's File Room at the address above.